



*The National Science Foundation Future
Scientists Scholarship in Polymer Science
and Chemistry*

*at the
University of Southern Mississippi*

Application Form

Please email or mail this form directly to:

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For more information see: <http://www.usm.edu/NSFscholars>

Please submit your application by

LAST NAME:

FIRST NAME:

MIDDLE INITIAL:

E-MAIL:

Phone:

MAILING ADDRESS:

Street:

City:

State:

Zip:

STATUS:

Incoming Freshman

Transfer Student

Freshman

Sophomore

Junior

Senior

USM DEGREE PROGRAM (intended or current):

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (4.0 scale):

High school:

USM:

Other:

from what institution

TEST SCORES:

ACT Score:



I give the STEM scholarship committee permission to access my university transcript and application as part of the application process.

Signature

Date



Statement of Goals: Please describe why you are interested in USM NSF Scholars Scholarship Program. Your essay should discuss your educational experiences, interest in the sciences, and career goals. Describe how this program will help you to reach your long term career goals.

Note: It is easier to type your statement in a word processing package and then paste those into the box below.



Additional Comments: Please provide information on any other relevant experience that you have had that you believe will be an asset to this program.

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INSTRUCTIONS:

ELIGIBILITY:

- High School senior with an ACT score of 26 or above OR
- Transfer student with 3.5 GPA
- U.S. Citizen
- Declares Polymer Science or Chemistry and Biochemistry as major
- Demonstrates financial need

OBLIGATIONS:

Student recipients of a STEM-Scholarship are required to:

- Remain in good academic standing within their STEM major
- Participate in STEM-Scholarship Program's social and mentoring activities
- Participate in the interdisciplinary STEM-Scholarship capstone
- Work with a STEM faculty mentor on a research in their area of expertise